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The purpose of this mailing is to alert the applicant of an error in the Examiner's Answer mailed November 12, 2009. The cover page of the Examiner's Answer indicated that the appeal brief was filed July 24, 2009. This was an error; the correct filing date is July 27, 2009. July 24 is the date on the Certificate of Mailing of the appeal brief. However, the appeal brief is not entitled to the July 24th date according to 37 CFR 1.8 (a)(2)(i)(C). Therefore, July 27, 2009 is the correct date, as it is the date of receipt by the Office.

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